AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Previously presented) A method for locking a camera in a portable terminal, the method comprising the steps of:

(1) a cipher apparatus receiving information from the portable terminal, establishing a secret code, and transmitting data being enciphered comprising the secret code by using information of the portable terminal;

(2) the portable terminal receiving the enciphered data and stopping an operation of the camera; and

(3) the cipher apparatus receiving information reporting a locked state of the camera, and storing and displaying the secret code and a telephone number of the portable terminal.

4. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein step (1) comprises the steps of:

the cipher apparatus requesting time information and the telephone number of the portable terminal;

the portable terminal transmitting the time information and the telephone number of the portable terminal;

the cipher apparatus receiving the time information and the telephone number of the portable terminal, establishing the secret code, and enciphering the secret code by means of the time information; and

the cipher apparatus transmitting enciphered data obtained from the secret code.

5. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein step (2) comprises the steps of:

storing the secret code in the memory of the portable terminal; and

stopping an operation of the image processor.

6. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein data are exchanged through a cable to lock the camera of the portable terminal.

7. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, wherein data are exchanged wirelessly, to lock the camera of the portable terminal.

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Cancelled)

11. (Cancelled)

12. (Cancelled)

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Cancelled)